

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  Stephen Z. Wu, et al.	Examiner:  Humera N. Sheikh
Serial No. 10/663,181	Art Unit: 1618
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Title: Microparticle Coated Medical Device	

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner Sheikh:

In response to the final office action dated April 15, 2008, please consider the following Remarks/Arguments in the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.